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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 21, 2005, please reconsider this application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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